WHAT IS CLAIMED:

- 1 1. A retrofit cashier counter, wherein an original cashier counter includes an existing
- 2 countertop and wherein said countertop has a defined shape, wherein the retrofit cashier counter
- 3 comprises:
- a base, wherein said base includes a well and wherein said well is configured to
- shroudably receive the defined shape of said existing countertop, and wherein said base is
- 6 mountable upon said existing countertop, and wherein said base presents an advertising
- 7 surface; and
- 8 a transparent cover, wherein said transparent cover is positionable above said
- 9 advertisement surface.
- 1 2. The retrofit cashier counter of claim 1, wherein said transparent cover is maintained atop
- 2 said advertisement surface by a plurality of surrounding walls that are presented by said base.
- 1 3. The retrofit cashier counter of claim 1, wherein said advertisement surface is dividable
- 2 into a plurality of sections.
- 1 4. The retrofit cashier counter of claim 1, wherein a clearance area is provided intermediate
- 2 said advertisement surface and said transparent cover.

- 1 5. The retrofit cashier counter of claim 1, wherein said well of said base is configured to
- 2 shroudably receive a plurality of differently-sized existing countertops.
- 1 6. A retrofit cashier counter, wherein an original cashier counter includes an existing
- 2 countertop and wherein said counter top is defined by a length, width and depth, the retrofit
- 3 cashier counter comprises:
- a base, wherein said base includes a well and wherein said well is configured to
- shroudably receive the length, width, and depth of said existing countertop, and wherein
- said base includes a base panel that is mountable to said existing counter top, and wherein
- 7 said base panel presents an advertisement surface; and
- 8 a transparent contact surface, wherein said contact surface is removably
- 9 positionable atop said advertisement surface.
- 1 7. The retrofit cashier counter of claim 6, wherein said contact surface is maintained atop
- 2 said advertisement surface by a plurality of surrounding walls that are presented by said base.
- 1 8. The retrofit cashier counter of claim 6, wherein said advertisement surface is dividable
- 2 into a plurality of advertisement sections.
- 1 9. The retrofit cashier counter of claim 6, wherein a clearance area is provided between said
- 2 advertisement surface and said transparent contact surface.

- 1 10. The retrofit cashier counter of claim 6, wherein said base is configured to shroudably
- 2 receive the length, width, and depth of a plurality of differently-sized existing countertops.
- 1 11. A cashier counter that is placeable over an existing cashier counter, the cashier counter
- 2 comprising:
- means for shrouding said existing cashier counter, wherein at least a portion of
- 4 said means for shrouding additionally for presenting advertising to a consumer;
- 5 means for securing said means for shrouding to said existing cashier counter; and
- 6 means for transparently covering said portion of said means for shrouding that is
- 7 for presenting advertising to a consumer.
- 1 12. The cashier counter of claim 11, wherein said means for shrouding additionally for
- 2 maintaining said means for transparently covering atop said portion.
- 1 13. The cashier counter of claim 11, wherein said portion for presenting advertising is
- 2 dividable into a plurality of portions.
- 1 14. The cashier counter of claim 11, further comprising means for providing a gap between
- 2 said portion for presenting advertising and said means for transparently covering.
- 1 15. The cashier counter of claim 11, wherein said means for shrouding is configured for
- 2 accommodating a plurality of differently-sized existing cashier counters.